

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY TEHRAN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5610

C O N F I D E N T I A L TEHRAN 1567

LIMDIS

E.O. 11652: NGDS

TAGS: OVIP, IR

SUBJ: VICE PRESIDENTIAL VISIT

REF: (A) TEHRAN 1476, (B) STATE 031842

REFTEL (A) SCENARIO TAKES INTO ACCOUNT THE VICE PRESIDENT'S DESIRE AS EXPRESSED IN REFTEL (B) TO VISIT ISFAHAN. WHILE WE BELIEVE THIS WOULD BE INTERESTING AND EDUCATIONAL, WE WOULD LIKE TO SUGGEST THE ALTERNATIVE OF VISITING SHIRAZ/PERSEPOLIS INSTEAD. WITH LUCK THE RENOWNED GARDENS OF SHIRAZ WILL BE IN BLOSSOM AND THE RUINS OF THE ANCIENT COMPLEX AT PERSEPOLIS ARE UNIQUE AND PARTICULARLY INDICATIVE OF IRAN'S PAST POWER AND GLORY OF WHICH THE PERSIANS ARE JUSTIFIABLY PROUD. IF THE DECISION IS MADE TO SELECT THIS ALTERNATIVE, IT WOULD BE PLANNED FOR THE SAME TIME AS THE VISIT TO ISFAHAN IS NOW SCHEDULED IN THE SCENARIO DESCRIBED IN REFTEL (A).  
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